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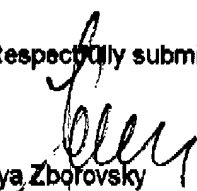
Sir:

In this application an Office Action of May 18, 2004 was received.

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Upon review of the Office Action it was established that one of the primary references, in particular the patent to Libermann was not mentioned upon the Notice of the References cited, and no patent number was given. Therefore, applicant will be unable to respond to the Office Action. It is respectfully requested to urgently identify the Libermann to issue a new Office Action and restart the time for response.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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